

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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JENNIFER ECKHART and CATHY AREU, :  
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 Plaintiffs, : Civil Case No. 1:20-cv-05593  
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 against :  
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 FOX NEWS NETWORK, LLC, ED HENRY, :  
 SEAN HANNITY, TUCKER CARLSON and :  
 HOWARD KURTZ, in their individual and :  
 professional capacities, :  
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 Defendants. :  
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**AFFIDAVIT OF HOWARD KURTZ IN SUPPORT OF  
DEFENDANTS' RULE 11 MOTION FOR SANCTIONS**

I, Howard Kurtz, affirm the following to be true under penalty of perjury pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746 and Local Civil Rule 1.9:

1. I have been employed by Fox News Network, LLC since 2013. I serve as a media analyst and the host of *Media Buzz*, a program airing on the Fox News Channel on Sundays at 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., among other duties. I am a defendant in the above-captioned matter. I am fully familiar with the facts and circumstances set forth herein and make this Affidavit in Support of Defendants' Rule 11 Motion for Sanctions.
2. Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of emails exchanged between myself and Plaintiff Cathy Areu on July 9, 2019.

Dated: Aug. 26, 2020

By: Howard Kurtz  
Howard Kurtz